



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| IN RE APPLICATION OF: James W. Schiek, SR. | ATTY DKT NO. 122999.0001.003 (074309.00014) |
| SERIAL NO. 09/641,378 | GROUP ART UNIT: 3743 |
| FILED: January 28, 2004 | |
| TITLE: SUPPORT AND UTILITY BELT | EXAMINER: Wieker, Amanda Flynn |
| TO: Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | |

**SUBMITTED UNDER EXPEDITED EXAMINATION PROCEDURE
FOR REISSUE APPLICATIONS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.176(a)**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 17, 2006**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action, mailed on March 17, 2006, Applicant submits this Amendment and Response and respectfully request reconsideration of the outstanding rejections.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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